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Transducer

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Dear Sirs:

Applicant hereby petitions for withdrawal of the above-referenced application from issuance. Please charge the appropriate fee pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17(h) to Johnson & Johnson Deposit Account No. 10-0750/BIO-5015USNP/VJS.

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The documents listed on Form PTO-1449 & MPEP609D came to the Applicant's attention. Applicant requests continued examination of the application under 37 CFR §1.114 and authorize the payment of any fee pursuant to 38 CFR § 1.17(e) to Johnson & Johnson Deposit Account No. 10-0750/BIO-5015USNP/VJS.

An Information Disclosure Statement is submitted herewith in accordance with 37 CFR §1.114(b).

Please withdraw the above-referenced application from issuance so that the Information Disclosure Statement may be considered in a Request for Continued Examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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